

HOUSE BILL 3

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AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 39,
relative to assault against certain persons.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-13-116, is amended by deleting the language "nurse" wherever it appears in subsections (a) and (b) and substituting instead the language "healthcare provider".

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-13-116, is amended by deleting the language "nurse's" wherever it appears and substituting instead the language "healthcare provider's".

SECTION 3. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-13-116(d)(2), is amended by deleting the subdivision and substituting instead:

(2) "Healthcare provider" means a person who is licensed, certified, or otherwise authorized or permitted by the laws of any state to administer health care in the ordinary course of business or practice of a profession.

SECTION 4. This act takes effect July 1, 2023, the public welfare requiring it.